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CORRESPONDENCE.

Delayed from last week.

STOOPS

Our farmers are topping tobacco. Hay harvest is progressing slowly. Scarcity of labor and rain is the cause.

Wm. Turner sold an extra good work horse to I. F. Tabb for \$125. Miss Mary Ghaspie, of Clark Co., is the guest of Mrs. Ed Hart. Mrs. W. M. Kissick has been very sick.

Squire John Steele, of Judy, is very sick with stomach trouble.

Mrs. Bert Saunders is visiting her sister, Mrs. Harrison Conn, near Poplar Plains, Fleming Co.

Wheat threshing is in progress. The yield ranges from 10 to 25 bushels per acre. Most farmers have sold at prices ranging from 78 to 90 cents per bushel.

Mrs. T. N. Coons and Miss Nellie Coons, of North Middletown, visited relatives here last week.

The Stoops "Courtin' Brigade" is getting in some effective work here at late.

Oliver Picklin, of near Camargo, visited his cousin, H. C. Ficklin, here last week.

E. L. Fassett and wife visited relatives near Sharpshurg and Bethel Saturday and Sunday.

Some from here attended Court at Owingsville Monday.

Mrs. Harrison Conn, of Poplar Plains, visited her parents, W. M. Kissick and wife, from Saturday till Monday.

Misses Edna and Lizzie Warner, of Judy, visited Miss Anna M. Goodan Sunday.

Clifton Bush and wife, of Grassy Lick, visited J. H. Gillespie and family Sunday.

Samuel Piersall and family visited J. H. Haney and wife at Judy Sunday.

OLYMPIAN SPRINGS

J. E. Watts and wife, of Winchester, conducted a meeting here from Saturday till Sunday.

P. P. and W. H. Richardson and families attended meeting at Isaac's Chapel Sunday.

The Olympian Hotel is progressing very nicely.

Claud May stopped over with us Saturday on his way back from Ashland.

Mr. Grover Wright and Miss Clemmie Roberson were married June 18th.

Geo. Sponcil has bought his brother, Chris', half interest in their stock of goods.

Oat crops look fine in this section.

John B. Kelley has sold his Meas' tract of timber to a Morehead company.

A good many from here attended Court at Owingsville Monday.

J. B. Richardson will saw for R. T. and F. D. Richardson at their mill near Walker's Crossing.

The Jeffersonville Camp Meeting will begin August 3rd.

PLUM LICK.

Clarence McClain celebrated at Carlisle.

Will Bramlette shipped 500 hogs and realized \$45.

We believe in every man having his hobby, let it be banjo, violin, dog, shotgun or pistol, but when it comes to building fox dens and turning great gangs of foxes loose to catch people's chickens we don't

endorse it. Furthermore, we believe the majority of the good people are on our side, especially the good women, who work so hard trying to raise fowls to help make a living.

James Kendall sold a load of corn to J. M. Rainey at \$2.50 per barrel.

James Douglas, our hustling book agent, is riding every day but Sunday.

"Try Not The Pass."

It is stated at the Navy Department that Secretary Bonaparte has returned railroad passes sent him, stating that by reason of the position he occupies he feels unable to avail himself of such consideration.

Record Breaking Trip.

Walter Scott's special train on the Santa Fe railroad arrived in Chicago 44 hours and 55 minutes from Los Angeles. 2,265 miles. This is an average rate of 50 and one-third miles an hour, twenty-three hours and five minutes less than the Santa Fe Limited.

Amazing.

It is amazing how many mothers will give their children medicines containing violent and dangerous drugs for bowel and stomach disorders, when better results, with absolute safety, can be obtained by the use of a pure, pleasant, harmless remedy like Dr. Caldwell's (laxative) Syrup Pepsin. Try it once. Sold by W. S. Lloyd at 50c and \$1.00. Money back if it fails.

Making Survey For Extension Into Perry County.

With the view of extending its line from Jackson to Hazard, the county seat of Perry, the L. & E. railroad has a surveying party now in the field surveying the proposed route. The distance of the proposed extension will be about thirty-five miles and will tap a section rich in mineral and timber resources.

Splitting Headache

(Can be often relieved by a severe sedative, but the scientific way of treating a headache is to go right down to the real cause, or root of the trouble, and cure it with Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. It is the only perfect cure for headache, dizziness, constipation, and is free from the dangerous after-effects, which so frequently follow the use of headache powders. Try it. Sold by W. S. Lloyd at 50c and \$1.00. Money back if it fails.

It will be gratifying to many Kentuckians who are still holding lands in Kansas to know that the unfailing crops in that State for the past six years have greatly revived the value of farm lands and that a boom paralleling that of the latter eighties is not at all improbable. The whole country went wild over Kansas real estate at one time and many Kentucky people got 'angled up in the boom and eared hundreds and thousands of dollars there! The following special from Topeka reads encouragingly and will make many a Kentuckian's heart throb with hope:

"Land prices have gone skyward and property is selling like hot cakes. Quarter sections that sold two years ago for \$800 are now selling for \$1,500 and those that could have been bought at that time for \$1,200 are now going at \$2,500. Good farms close to market are changing hands from \$5,000 to \$8,000 a quarter.

"Fifty-dollar-a-acre land is very common around Phillipsburg," said Bank Commissioner John Q. Royce. "Several farms have changed hands at bigger prices than that."

"There is no telling where the prices will go to."

There is a lot of difference between foresight and fear.

Stained glass in the windows cannot make up for putty in the pulpit.

Most of us would be contented with what we have if only our neighbors would be satisfied with a little less.

What's the secret of happy, vigorous health? Simply keeping the bowels, the stomach, the liver and kidneys strong and active. Burdock Blood Bitters does it. 51-4

Egypt is the only country in the world where there are more men than women. The male sex in the dominions of the Khedive exceeds the female by 100,000.

An All-Ohio base ball club, which expects to make a tour of Kentucky towns, is being organized over in Brown and Clermont counties. They propose to play Mayville, Flemingsburg, Mt. Sterling and other places.

Governor Beckham has ordered Insurance Commissioner Brewitt to investigate the present insurance laws to see if they are sufficient to force fire insurance companies to give uniform rates, as complaints have come to him that they pay more in Kentucky than other States do.

Berry, in Harrison county, comes to the front with perhaps the most prolific family in the State. Mrs. E. W. Walden recently gave birth to twin girl babies. Her sisters, Mrs. J. W. Haley, Mrs. Eli Miller and Mrs. B. Haley, are each proud mothers of twins. All the twins are girls.

Among the natural curiosities of Japan are its singing insects. The most prized of these tiny musicians is a black beetle named "usumushi," which means "insect bell." The sound that it emits resembles that of a little silver bell of the sweetest and most delicate tone.

Everybody knows that cabbage growing is never a success here on account of the ravages of the worm. A gentleman who had perfect success last year, says if after the worms begin to show their work, you will heap dry dust on the cabbage, and keep it that way, the worms will leave in disgust and you can have as good cabbage as can be raised anywhere. Try it. —Exchange.

J. D. Wyatt has served notice on Hon. Paul Hefflin contesting the Democratic domination of the latter for Representative, and a Fleming exchange says, "the fight will be bitter one as the County Committee is about equally divided between the factions." Factions in politics are great things, and especially in this case, for the bitterness injected into this fight will not be forgotten before the November election, and this will insure a Republican representative from Fleming. The rule or ruin policy is a bad one.—Carlisle Advocate.

Many farmers make a serious mistake by neglecting to do the little things which keep their premises neat and their buildings in order. A cluttered yard and dilapidated buildings on one farm certainly have some influences upon the appearance of all the farmhouses in a neighborhood. And when all the farms in a given locality get this neglected appearance, property depreciates in value, the farmer's income grows smaller, he sinks to a lower level, both morally and intellectually; his children grow up lacking in ambition or else with a strong distaste for farming, and rack and ruin repair and your laws c' an. It pays.

A Queer Experience.

Possibly one man out of every million has the experience of Mr. Robert D. Young, who lives near Olmstead, can truthfully relate as having befallen him, but it is certain that such instances are very much on the order of hens' teeth, if not a little more so. Here follows that experience:

One day about five years ago Mr. Young was standing in his horse lot, holding his saddle horse, the bridle reins striding across his left arm and shoulder. A number of young horses were frisking about in the lot, and the one Mr. Young was holding, becoming very restless, suddenly jumped and jerked his owner's arm out of place. Mr. Young had consulted doctors in various cities, but none of them were able to so manipulate the injured member that he could use it as formerly, and he had about given up all hope of ever being so fortunate.

Last week he went to Adairville and bought two mules, leading them home behind his buggy. On the way one them suddenly jerked back and it happened that the rope by which it was led was on Mr. Young's left arm and shoulder. He says he heard quite a loud report and felt considerable pain for a moment, but upon moving his arm was surprised and delighted to find that it was as strong and useful in every respect as it was five years ago when the accident occurred.

Physicians say that occurrences of the kind are not without record, but that it is very seldom indeed that a man's injury is remedied precisely in the same manner it was brought about.—Todd County Times.

COAL, HAY, CORN AND OATS.

Before buying Coal or Feed confer with Indian Creek Coal & Feed Co.

Who are prepared to quote lowest prices in car lots or small quantities.

W. P. OLDHAM, Manager.

Phone 747.

One of the good ideas that come to us from the Department of Agriculture is the discovery that in 1890 and bad-smelling water is often caused by the growth within it of microscopic forms of plant life called algae, and that sulphate of copper, (blue vitriol) quickly destroys these germs together with all disease germs. It will keep water sweet in farm cisterns, water troughs and tanks and do no injury to the health of any one using the water for washing or drinking. Only a very small quantity should be used, dissolve and stirred well. If not enough is used to make the water sweet a little more may be added. A bit as large as a grain of wheat will suffice for a barrel of water.

Don't Let Baby Cry.

When baby cries, something is probably wrong with its stomach, or other digestive organs, and no time should be lost in giving it a small dose of Dr. Caldwell's (laxative) Syrup Pepsin. This is the only safe laxative medicine for Babies and Children, and should always be kept in the house. It contains no injurious ingredients, and can do nothing but good. Try it. Sold by W. S. Lloyd at 50c and \$1.00. Money back if it fails.

The poorest people on earth are those who make the most of what they have and the least of what they are.

The religion that lacks sunshine is all moonshine.

The path to perdition is lubricated with smooth talk.

There is nothing much more crooked than a dollar mark.

It's a good plan to keep your heart warm and your head cool.

A Kansan convict was pardoned in order that he might go to work in the harvest fields.

Lost.—Between Sharpshurg and Jim Green's blacksmith shop, a red heel blanket. Finder rewarded by leaving at ADVOCATE office.

An ingenious Green county (Mo.) farmer has rigged his farm wagon up with a gasoline motor and runs into Springfield in auto style.

When we pray for gold heaven is likely to give us a piece of iron, and we are too dull to know it is the key to heaven's treasures.

Finley E. Fogg of Morgan county, says he will be a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Congress to succeed the Hon. F. A. Hopkins.

A little life may be sacrificed to an hour's delay. Cholera infantum, dysentery, diarrhoea comes suddenly. Only safe plan is to have Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry on hand. 51-4t.

The judges at a Nevada (Mo.) baby show last week gave a prize to every child. As the mothers of the babies were all there they didn't dare do otherwise.

Hives are a terrible torment to the little folks, and to some older ones. Easily cured. Doan's Ointment never fails. Instant relief, permanent cure. At any drug store, 50 cents. 51-4t.

Tibet's 6,000,000 people have to support an army of 430,000 priests, who produce nothing but beautifully illuminated copies of the sacred writings. They hold all the public offices.

For Sale.—Two fine farms; 144 acres good land at \$40 an acre; 345 acres in Logan county, finely improved and good, 10 miles from county seat, cheap, \$5,500. Other places cheap. I handle only bargains. W. H. BLAKELEY, 424 Welling Green, Ky.

According to Dr. Fischer, of Berlin, the most effective position of obtaining intellectual rest is to keep the head low and the feet slightly elevated. Failing this, the body should, at any rate, be horizontal, so as to irrigate the brain well. The habit of sleeping with head low and feet high is, according to the doctor, a remedy for brain troubles and some internal maladies. It can be adopted gradually.

A very gratifying sign of the times is the successful warfare now being waged upon the system of "graft" in our public institutions and large corporations. The exposure that has been made of frauds and "graft" at Washington, New York, Philadelphia, and elsewhere has in each case been followed by a genuine wave of reform backed up by a vigorous and healthy public sentiment that is a prophecy of a time to come very soon when bootlickers and grafters will no longer be respected or tolerated, but will find honesty to be the only safe as well as the best policy.

For Sale.

A number one type writer in good condition; will sell for \$30. Terms, a small cash payment balance in weekly or monthly payments; so that the machine may pay for itself. Apply at this office.

Plant Breding.

Our Indian corn is not the only plant that can be improved by careful selection. There is hardly a plant grown on our farms or in our gardens that will not yield to careful selection. Years ago when digging late potatoes we found a hill that had 44 potatoes, mainly of small size. Right alongside was a hill that had three good-sized potatoes and a few small ones. Now, we have often heard men discuss the planting of large and small seed potatoes. Suppose we had taken the large potatoes that grew in the hills with few is a hill for seed. They were certainly the most handsome potatoes. But the hill with the 44 potatoes showed at least a prolific habit, and we planted them and were not disappointed in the result, for they gave far more marketable potatoes than large ones from less prolific hills. Later we read from an exchange the experience of a thoughtful farmer who said that in digging his sweet potatoes one hill had eight potatoes that averaged one pound each, the next had four potatoes that weighed one pound each, and the third hill had on one potato of a pound. The crop had been fertilized alike and cultivated alike. One plant had eight times the crop of another. Now, we are sure that if the potatoes from the prolific hill were saved by themselves and used to start plants another season there would be an advance in the yield. Some time ago one of our students who is in the forestry work of the United States Geological Survey, wrote to us from Colorado that he had found, back in the mountains, a man with a little ranch. He had some wheat that he said he had found growing volunteer there, and planted it on his farm. Our correspondent said that the wheat had heads five to eight inches long, and he secured some and sent it to us. We now have that growing in our garden, and will give it special attention and will save the finest heads for seed, so that another year we may be able to say what it will turn out. The results in the selection and breeding of wheat at the Minnesota station have attracted general attention, and there is no doubt but that either the spring or winter wheat can be greatly increased in yield if careful selection of seed is made and only the heaviest seed from the finest heads planted. The same is true of the cotton plant. One man will take from the gin any seed so that it is cotton. Another man goes through his field and notes the character of the plants and selects his seed from plants having the character he wants and that are prolific, and in a little while he has a cotton that beats his neighbors and it is named and sold. But the majority of those that buy go on getting seed of any sort from the gin, and in a little while the cotton has lost its original character except with the careful man who originated it. The same is true of corn. A careful breeder will get a distinct strain and get good prices for his seed, and in a little while the general stock of the neighborhood has been allowed to deteriorate simply because the farmers do not breed with the same ideal that the original breeder had. Most of the special strains of our garden vegetables have been formed by selection after gently practiced year after year until this race has gotten so far away from the original stock that it deserves and receives a new name. The world is indebted to the specialists in plants for all the improvement that has been made in varieties.—Practical Farmer.

Diphtheria relieved in twenty minutes. Almost miraculous. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. At any drug store. 51-4t.

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DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

FOR STATE SENATOR.

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Representative—8th District.
J. WILL CLAY,
of Montgomery
County Judge.
A. A. HAZELRIG,
County Attorney.
K. LARSEN F. THOMAS,
County Clerk.
JOHN F. KING,
Sheriff.
CLYTON B. PREWITT,
Assessor.
G. A. MCCORMICK,
Jailer.

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M. J. GOODWIN.
Comptroller,
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J. W. HENRY.
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C. L. DEAN.
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Constable—3rd District,
R. H. BIRNELL.
Constable—4th District,
J. M. OLDFIELD.
Constable—5th District,
MARGIE J. JUDER.
Councilman—1st Ward,
G. D. BOHRNE.
Councilman—2nd Ward,
T. B. ROHMAN.
Councilman—3rd Ward,
J. W. WADE.
Councilman—4th Ward,
J. O. COCKRELL.
WILLIAM BOTTIS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are glad to announce JAMES L. ROBERTS as a candidate for the office of Mount Sterling County Judge in the action of the Republican party.

KEEP THE STANDARD HIGH

It is the experience of popular government everywhere that a party overwhelmingly in the majority always degenerates, while the best government usually results from a close division. When there is no prospect for either party to become strongly entrenched, both parties maintain a higher standard.—The Lexington Herald.

A community is frequently if not usually judged by the character of its officials—whether town, county, district or state. The selection of pure, sober, capable, honest, self-respecting men reflects honor upon the community.

Hon. Frank Hopkins while not an announced candidate now, will be at the proper time. Mr. Hopkins having made a good representative, that is having done all it was possible to do on the side of a minority, attentive to his charge and ever ready to defend the principles of Democracy, mindful of his constituency and having reflected honor on his district, will show a strong following in the coming campaign.

An exchange reasons this way: because Judge Paynter has attained to his present high and responsible position, beginning very humbly and has gone forward a degree at a time, reaching the highest judgeship within the gift of the people is evidence of worth, and further that he will be elected U. S. Senator and will make a good one.

Many great souls have been lost by little sins.

Mt. Sterling is doing an increase amount of business now and if every man will pull for greater things it will come to pass.

New pavements have been ordered constructed by the Council and in doing this the Council is but carrying out provisions of the law.

WINCHESTER.

An hospital is the latest contemplated addition to the city.

Thomas Barrow, representing the Hagan Gas Engine Co., while exhibiting the engine attached to farming machinery, an iron cross bar of a feed cutter broke and struck him. His nose was broken and skull fractured.

Jacob Shelton, 67, died Saturday near Sugar Ridge. He leaves ten grown children. His eight sons were all bearers.

James Guinn, aged 83, died on Sunday.

The city received \$125 from the Old Kentucky Telephone & Telegraph Co. for a 20-year franchise to operate a telephone system; also cost of advertising.

Strange Italian Religious Practice

In New York on July 17, More than 100,000 Italians congregated between 104th and 116th streets, the "Little Italy" of New York, to celebrate the Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel. From thirty miles around New York Italians came about, many of them barefooted as a still greater penance.

All the day was spent in semi-religious festivities. About the colony were scattered altars of wood and tinsel, before which Italians knelt in the street and on which many of them laid wax reproductions of fingers, limbs or other parts of the body which their prayers to the saint would heal.

A street parade, the rear of which was made up of barefooted women and children carrying candles, melting under the combined heat of their own light and sun.

Hundreds of pilgrims from out of town were forced to live in the streets and three hundred patrolmen were detailed to preserve order.

Dirt roads have been very greatly damaged throughout the county by recent heavy rains, and also the turnpikes.

Drink Waincoat's Pop. 38-ct.

Sterling Machine Co.
Successors to Washburn-Wheeler,
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General Machine Work.
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Office and Shop, S. Mayville St.,
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T. M. RICKETS, Mgr.
MT. STERLING, KY.

Clothed the Portrait.
A half-length portrait of the German empress occupied a prominent place in a Catholic boys' school in the Ermeland district of eastern Prussia. Recently the chaplain happened to look closely at the picture and was horrified to find that her majesty was decollete. A local house painter provided a chaste covering of lace for her majesty's neck, whereupon the picture was permitted to be rehung in the schoolroom. This incident is now forming the subject of an investigation by the German minister of education, who considers it a gross insult to the empress to assume that any picture of her could be improper.

Helping to Locate It.
Benham—I wonder where I left my umbrella.
Mrs. Benham—Here's a directory, dear, with a list of saloons in it.—Judge.

FACTS AND OBSERVATIONS

At Paintsville, Louisa etc.

We spent Monday, July 10, at Paintsville. The two banks recently decided to consolidate. Workmen are now engaged on the construction of a modern bank building.

John C. Mayo will have a very fine residence. We heard that it will cost \$50,000. What is that to a man who has made millions in a few years. We heard that he had more than once refused \$2,000,000 for his interest in the holdings of one company. He has great opportunities for blessing himself and humanity, and great are his responsibilities. Whether or not great blessings will come from it, time will reveal. He has given (we heard) \$10,000 to Kentucky Wesleyan College.

Sandy Valley Seminary is the name of the new Methodist College resulting from the union of educational interests of the Methodist Episcopal and the Methodist Episcopal, South, churches. The building will be ready at opening of fall term Sept. 13, it has three stories and basement with 15 rooms. A home for the President or Principal will be built by Jan. 1. A girl's dormitory is contemplated.

The work of instruction will begin with a corps of 9 teachers. Special courses will be: Art, Music, Expression and Commercial. Already a music class of 50 pupils has been secured. On train to Louisa we had a long talk with the newly elected Principal, J. R. Turner, of Barboursville, W. Va. He is 28 years old, a graduate of Ohio Northern University and has had 3 years experience in teaching. He was unmarried when we talked with him, but we make no rash promise for the future. We wish for the seminary a career of great usefulness, and hope it will be adequately endowed.

A CRANK.

We talked with County Judge H. B. Rice, (we think these are the initials). By some folks he is called a crank—because of his opposition to the whiskey traffic. He said he had been called a crank. We congratulate him upon his enviable reputation, and wish every County Judge in the State would stand for the protection and honor

SPORTING GOODS,

Base ball goods, Tennis goods, Fishing tackle etc. Spalding Base balls, Bats, Gloves and Mitts, also Reaches Base Ball goods, Call and see us.

KENNEDY'S DRUG STORE

of his constituency against this prostruity. Gradually some folks are getting their eyes open, on, having seen, are getting patriotic and courageous enough to oppose the whiskey power in county or district politics. We pity the actual or would-be official who thinks that in order to succeed he must adopt bar-room tactics.

Z. T. YOUNG.

Our former townsman is located here. A friend said that Mr. Young was being employed in most of the important cases in court. We did not hear political bees buzzing in his hat. We wish him much success. We left on early train on Tuesday for

LOUISA

and stayed until 4:27. Returning from a 9 mile horseback ride we stopped at the new cannery factory and watched operations and asked some questions. This is the last season. The proprietor from Southwestern Kentucky, had contracted with farmers for so many acres of products. Do not know how many people are engaged. We counted 20 girls and women stringing beans

(Tomatoes will come later). The beans are strung (not with thread) washed, dipped in water made scalding with steam, packed in tin cans, sealed and then cooked for 30 minutes in water 240°, then boxed for market. The farmers are paid 1c a pound for the beans when delivered at factory. The contract price for tomatoes is 20c for a bushel of 60lb. The wages of the girls and women is 75c. per day. Hurrah for the factory.

A BRIDGE.

We watched the building of cement abutment for a bridge across the Big Sandy. Some one said the contract price is \$40,000. Louisa men are back of the enterprise. The bridge connects with the West Virginia town. The Norfolk & Western railroad runs up the river on the W. Va. side. The river is locked & dammed at Louisa.

CATLETTSBURG.

Spent a few hours socially with Jas. Trimble and family. He is cashier of a bank at Ashland.

He is Superintendent of Presbyterian Sunday School and his wife has charge of infant class.

Fire was discovered about 6 o'clock on Wednesday morning in D. H. Carpenter's dry goods store, but was put out with slight loss.

We took electric car to Huntington, W. Va., 10 miles, fare 10c. The city is growing rapidly, and is already an important place.

The electric road is a great developer of interurban real estate. We came from here direct to Mt. Sterling having been on trip ten days.

B. W. Trimble.

THE PRUDENT BUSINESS MAN

Considers the purchase of a Life Policy just as he does the purchase of a family horse, any why shouldn't he? It is the prudent business man that buys policies in the United States Life and the United States Casualty. These companies offer the best as an investment and the safest as to protection. Examine our policies, consider our past record, and buy where you can get the most and the safest for your money. See T. B. ARTHUR, who will gladly give you all the information you may need.

Admit Chinese.

President Wm. D. Wheelwright, of the Chamber of Commerce, of Portland, Ore., has sent a letter to President Roosevelt. The letter urges President Roosevelt to take "steps toward negotiating a new treaty with China, for the removal of the existing conditions that now attach to the entrance into this country of their merchants, students, and professional men; for the absolute freedom of all Chinese residents of this country to visit their own land and return here, and for the admission during the next ten years of a number of male Chinese laborers that in any one year shall not exceed one-tenth of one per cent of the population of this country."

Killed Two Men.

During church service on Sunday night, in Lee county John Muller shot and killed Jas. Cress and J. M. Thomas.

Wingsville is to have a Sweet Fair about September 1st.

Blunt Nunnelley & Priest

(Incorporated.)

—HEADQUARTERS FOR—

Hardware - and - Queensware.

Chattanooga - Plows,

THE BEST AND STOUTEST MADE.

American - Field - Fence,

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Old Reliable Mitchell Wagon,

Malleable - Steel - Ranges.

Resolutions.

Whereas, it has pleased our Right Reverend Bishop to remove from our midst our dearly beloved pastor and friend, Rev. L. deWaegeaere.

Resolved, that the ladies of St. Patrick's Catholic Church, Mt. Sterling, Ky., take this means of expressing our sincere regret at your departure, and our heartfelt thanks for your tender, priestly ministrations during your pastorate. Not in years, but in deeds, we shall remember you, as the capable priest, whose zeal for the glory of God ever characterized your labors. Patient and true, we ever found you ready, wherever affliction was to be lightened, or sin wiped away. We are better for having known you, and pray that when you are no longer with us that our Heavenly Father's protecting care will guide you over Life's stormy waves and perfect your highest hopes.

"Sooner or later to all that sow
The time of harvest is given;
The sower shall reap, the fruit shall grow,
It is on earth, as it is in Heaven."

Resolved, that we beg you, Rev. Father, to accept this offering as a slight reminder of our earnest prayers for your success in your new field of labor.

Notice.

Notice of sale of Franchise to construct, operate and maintain a system of water or steam for domestic heating and power purposes in the city of Mt. Sterling, Ky.

Sealed bids will be received by the City Clerk at his office in the city of Mt. Sterling, Ky., at any time prior to the 1st day of August, 1905, at noon, for a franchise to construct, operate and maintain, for a period of 20 years, in the city of Mt. Sterling, Ky., a system of water or steam for domestic heating or power purposes. Each bid must be accompanied with a certified check for \$50. The franchise will be let to the highest and best bidder and according to law.

This July 5th, 1905,
52-3t C. H. BRYAN, Mayor.

Catting at Olympia Springs.

On Sunday night James Jackson, 18, son of Thos. Jackson, cut a Griffin boy about 18, once in the breast and once in back—his condition is serious. The report is that both were under the influence of whiskey. Jackson surrendered. Where did they get whiskey? Such is some of the results of the whiskey traffic.

Notice.

All those having claims against the estate of the late Dr. R. Q. Drake will present them properly proven at the office of Dr. W. R. Thompson. All knowing themselves indebted to same will please call and settle at once.

Sarah B. Drake,
51-2t. Executrix.

Don't forget the sale of personal property of the late A. M. Ogg Thursday.

LAND, STOCK AND CROP ITEMS

Much wheat is inferior or damaged.

H. S. Duff bought 4 995-lb. good feeders at 34c.

A fancy crop of Bourbon hemp sold at \$5.35.

Lutton Bros. sold to Chester Graves, of Olympia, a gray gelding. Clifton Perry sold to Mrs. Jas. S. Willis four yearling steers for \$55. Mrs. James S. Willis, of Camargo, sold four yearling helters for \$36.60.

J. A. Lipps and wife sold to C. E. Duff a house and lot at Spencer for \$850.

Lutton Bros., of Bourbon, bought from Wolf & Morgan men last week 400 ewes delivered here.

The oat crop in Bourbon is one of the best ever yielded in the county. The corn crop was never so promising.

The acreage of tobacco in this county about equals last year. The yield is now estimated about 25 points below. The growth even in same field is not regular.

The wheat crop in Clark is said to average about 15 bushels although some crops reach 30 to 33. Around North Middletown 13 to 15 is regarded as a fair yield.

Much of the wheat in Jessamine county has been threshed and a great deal of it is considerably damaged. Little, if any, will grade No. 2. The price has dropped from 95 to 90 cents.

The Ladies of the Methodist Church will give a Ice Cream Social on Mrs. Everett's lawn Thursday evening, July 20th, for the benefit of the Missionary Society. Everybody invited.



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July Court Day.

About 750 cattle on the market. Trade was dull and very little business done. The best 800 to 1000-lb. steers sold at \$3.50 to \$3.75; yearlings, 3 to 3½c; heifers, 2½ to 3c, with a few sales of 970 to 1000-lb. fat heifers at 3½ to 4c; cows, 2 to 3c. There were 1000 to 1500 sheep on the market, with from 4000 to 5000 head near town but not brought in. Sales were good at fair prices, ewes selling from \$3.50 to \$4.25 per head. One party with 1100 head refused \$3.75 for his bunch, wanting \$4, and he will get his price.

Malone & Kearns, of Carlisle, bought a lot of ewes at \$4. Cary & Co., of Cynthia, bought 200 head at \$4.10. Labo Riddell sold 90 head at \$4.25.

Many sheep sold during the day. We caught a few sales of cattle: Marcus Prewitt bought 15 800-lb. steers of Vanhoose & Co. at 3½c. J. L. Napier sold 9 400-lb. heifers at 2½c. J. W. Downing bought 8 800-lb. heifers of O. H. Halsey at 3c. Jo C. Turley bought some 900-lb. steers of Mrs. Marshall at \$3.75. Ben Mark bought 20 steer calves at \$12 per head.

Vanhoose & Riser sold 8 700-lb. steers at 3½c to Geo. Barry. W. M. Luckina sold 4 1000-lb. steers to S. A. Duff at 3½c. Green Allen sold 22 600-lb. steers to S. A. Huff, of Carlisle, at 3c. Ed Hon bought a 950 lb. Short-horn heifer of Mrs. Marshall at 4c.

A good many other sales at about the prices quoted.

MULES AND HORSES.

Mules were about the same. Very few on the market and no very desirable ones for sale. A few changed hands at good prices. Horses were easy and not much trading during the day.

Commander-in-Chief of G. A. R., Dies at Boise City.

Gen. W. W. Blackmar, Commander-in-Chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, died July 16th at Boise City, Idaho, of interstitial nephritis.

He was born July 25, 1841, at Bristol, Penn. Throughout three administrations, those of Governors Long, Talbot and Rice, he was Judge Advocate General of Massachusetts. At the last national encampment of the G. A. R. he was elected Commander-in-Chief.

By the death of Gen. Blackmar, Capt. John R. King, Baltimore, senior Vice Commander-in-Chief, becomes, under the laws of the G. A. R., acting Commander-in-Chief and will continue such until the next national encampment.

The Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Co. wrote and put in force \$9,000,000 of insurance last month. Have a talk with Stanley Arnold, District Agent.

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ST. PATRICK'S DAY IN JAPAN

"Finding of the Christians" a Notable Feast in the Church of Mikado's Islands.

It is a little known fact among those who have watched St. Patrick's day celebrated with pomp and circumstance, that in far off Japan the 17th of March is celebrated as a great feast day by the Catholic church. The day is known as the Feast of the Finding of the Christians.

The traits of valor and loyalty that the world has recently discovered in Japanese character fit very well with the remarkable story of faith told in the annals of the church in Japan.

This feast day is celebrated in honor of 6,000 Japanese Christians who, on the reopening of the country to missionaries on March 17, 1865, were discovered to have kept the faith unswerving, though absolutely isolated for three centuries, since 1640, when more than 1,000 Augustinians, Dominicans, Franciscans and Jesuits, together with 200,000 native Christians, suffered martyrdom and the faith preached by St. Francis Xavier was apparently stamped out.

It is significant of Japanese character that when St. Francis Xavier left Japan, in 1551—Japan then possessed 500,000 converts—he wrote: "So far as I know, the Japanese nation is the single and only nation of them all which seems likely to preserve unshaken and forever the profession of Christian holiness if once it embraces it."

At this time the annals of Christianity in Japan began to parallel Rome under Nero. In 1587 the Mikado Hideyoshi, who otherwise was a splendid ruler, ordered all Christians out of Japan. In 20 days, on February 5, 1597, 26 Japanese Christians were crucified at Nagasaki.

This persecution only seemed to inflame the people's faith, and soon almost 2,000,000 Christians figured among the population of Japan. Under the next emperor, Yemasa, from 1614 to 1640, the very name of Christians seemed to be wiped from the land, 40,000 Christians being massacred at one time.

Nearly 200 years afterward a Japanese junk was wrecked on the shores of the Philippines and the 20 Japanese survivors were found to be wearing Christian medals which they revered. They proved to have been baptized and properly instructed by their parents, who in turn had descended from the early Christians.

The next year, 1852, missionaries visited their ancient fast, but they were not allowed to talk Christianity to natives until a church was built on the site of the Nagasaki martyrdom in 1865, and that favor was granted through political pressure by America, France, England and other nations.

On March 17, 1865, the feast of the "Finding of the Christians" had its inception. On that date 15 Japanese entered the church and kneeling down proclaimed that they were of the same faith, having celebrated Christmas all through the years of isolation and prayed to Jesus Suma Jesus Christ, Santa Maria Suma (the Blessed Virgin), and O Yaso Sumama yo fu the foster Father of Jesus, St. Joseph.

During the next month 7,000 steadfast Christians revealed themselves, and the next year a Papal brief decreed that "the almost miraculous event of March 17, 1865," should be celebrated as a feast under the title, "The Finding of the Christians."

Ceylon Justice.

In a Ceylon newspaper appeared the following bit of police court news: "A villager of Dodanduwa appeared before Mr. Constantine today to answer to a charge of possessing a cow of a dangerous and vicious disposition. Mr. G. A. Purser, the complainant, gave evidence, and detailed instances that he was pursued by the animal while riding his bike through the village. The animal was a great danger to cyclists. The magistrate ordered the animal to be shot, the village headman being requested to see that this was carried out."

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STATE FAIR.

\$25,000 in Premiums.

The classification is as follows:

Harness and Saddle horses	\$4,000
Heavy horses	500
Thoroughbred horses	2,500
Dairy cattle classes	1,500
Shorthorns	1,500
Polled Durhams	400
Red Polls	200
Aberdeen-Angus	1,000
Galloways	300
Herfords	700
Swine	1,200
Sheep	1,200
Poultry	750
Vegetables and melons	325
Field seed and grain	450
Tobacco	500
Horticulture	725
Plants and flowers	800
Woman's department	800
Mules and jacks	1,000
Pigeons	75

Other appropriations will be designated until \$25,000 has been set apart for premiums.

State Auditor, Hager, says the money appropriated by the State (\$15,000) will be paid whenever desired. It is therefore evident there will not be any hitch in the payment for the premiums at the State fair to be held September 18-23 at Lexington.

Barn Burned.

On Thursday afternoon fire completely destroyed the large barn on the T. D. Jones property. The fire company responded promptly, but as no water was accessible for the hose, nothing could be done to save the building. He carried off \$200 insurance. The barn was large enough for 40 cows and some horses. This season's crop of hay and some implements were burned. The loss above insurance is about \$1,200.

To the hypocrite one man's religion is another man's revenue.

For the Man Who Thinks Quickly

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All the above for \$2.49. Send in your order to-day. Take advantage of the best offer made this season. You are getting the very best of journals for less than half the price.

Administrator's Sale.

On Thursday, at the farm on the Kiddville place, the stock, farming implements, household furniture, and everything of a personal nature belonging to the late A. M. Ogg will be sold to the highest and best bidder. There are a number of good brood mares that all men interested in horses should see. At the same time and place the grass, about 121 acres, will be rented until March 1, 1906.

No money is tainted worse than that which is kept in the cold storage pocket.

Some people couldn't crack a joke with a sledge hammer.

Engagement of Interest.

Mrs. Sarah Vandever Jones announces the engagement of her daughter, Mary Elizabeth, to Mr. William Thomson Harrison, both of Lexington.

The marriage will be celebrated quietly the afternoon of Wednesday, July 26th, at the home of the bride on East High street. After the ceremony the couple will leave for a trip of several weeks through the West, stopping at Colorado Springs, Salt Lake City and other points of interest. On their return they will go to housekeeping in the pretty new home now being built by Mr. Harrison on the corner of Jefferson and Maryland avenue.

Miss Jones is very attractive and accomplished, with sweet and gracious charm of manner. Her amiable disposition and gentle dignity have endeared her to many friends.

Mr. Harrison is widely known and very popular. He is one of Lexington's most successful business men being assistant manager of the Southern Coal and Coke Co. and also a broker for newspaper advertising.

The news is of interest to many friends of the popular couple, who have good wishes for their happiness and welfare.

We extend congratulations.

I Fell.

M. O. Cookrell has his arm in a sling. A placard says: "I fell." We asked him no questions, but learn that he was displaying his athletic skill in jumping over a pony, fully "knee high to a duck." In his aerial flight his toe struck his pony's hip and great was the fall.

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Killed in Wolfe County.

Jno. T. Graham, of Lee City, was in this city Monday. He said that on last Saturday on Holly Creek, in Wolfe county, Scott McQuinn shot and killed Frank Smith and his two sons, Wm. and Manfield, also a mile. Some years ago Wm. killed a brother of McQuinn. Since then the families have been enemies.

For Sale.

Choice plot of land near city limits and containing near four acres. Price \$825. Fine resident lot or susceptible of division. Apply to Mrs. W. D. Bolton at R. C. Lloyd's, Mt. Sterling, Ky. [524]

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August 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14. Double berth in tourist sleeping car, Chicago to California \$7. Through tourist car for California leave Union Passenger Station, Chicago, 10:25 p. m. daily. Route—Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, Union Pacific and Southern Pacific Line. F. A. Miller, General Passenger Agent, 1545 Railway Exchange, Chicago.

For the benefit of passengers desiring to take advantage of Low Sunday Excursion rates, the Southern Railway will hold its train as follows every Sunday until October 15th, inclusive:

No. 9 at Louisville until 6:00 p. m. No. 6 at Lexington until 4:30 p. m. No. 11 at Burgin until 4:10 p. m. A. interested will please be governed accordingly. 45-12

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ADVISE with them and you will get such advice as will enable you to MAKE MONEY, LOAN or BORROW MONEY. They have Money and plenty of it, to loan on good gold-silver collateral. No Red-tape. No "Meeting of the Board." Do you want to Loan or Borrow? If so, "Press the Button" they'll do the rest.

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TOO LONG in Business to need reference.

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MODERN PIRATES' PARADISE

His Sea Robbery Flourishes Along China Coast in the Vicinity of Canton Delta.

Piracy flourishes in the Canton delta and along the China coast in that vicinity. The last report of the British consul general at Canton has an interesting story of this modern piracy. During the past year there were half a dozen serious attacks on British steam launches, Chinese passenger launches and boats are frequently held up and plundered. Complaints are made to the local authorities, but nothing is really done to protect trade. Even with in the precincts of the harbor pirates and robbers plunder and loot with impunity. The people are left to protect themselves as best they may and such is their fear and dread of doing anything to do with Chinese authorities that no man, whatever his grievance or wrong, will readily venture to apply to the magistrate for assistance or redress.

This insecurity of life and property tells seriously against all development of trade. From the silk districts come repeated complaints of blackmailing by local bandits. Foreign goods sent into the interior under transit passes are pilated and only in one single instance, after 18 months of arguing and battling with the officials, has a foreign consul succeeded in obtaining the recovery of a few articles and the arrest of a few men, who the magistrates gravely says are the culprits.

In one case a Hongkong junk was pilated and the cargo landed in broad day light under the eyes of the local officials by the villagers, yet nothing was done and no redress could be obtained. The Kwangsi rebellion, which has taxed all the resources of the provincial government to suppress, was the direct outcome of corruption and pillage. Left without food and pay, the soldiers of Marshal Sun took to the hills and started an insurrection.

LIVING IN HOUSTON, TEXAS

Gotham Publication Has Unique Ideas of Life in the Western Metropolis.

The New World describes the Houston (Tex.) customs in the following paragraphs:

In the principal hotel six stout men may be checked with the hat and gloves before entering the dining-room.

All the women take one side of Main street and all the men the other.

In the very heart of the stock country it is impossible to obtain such a steak as is served in a very ordinary New York restaurant.

A glass of milk is worth from 10 to 25 cents, according to the degree of dilution by water.

All the men smoke cigarettes made by themselves out of the cheapest tobacco and rice paper. Saffron finger tips are the vogue.

When it rains the skies are open and high-top boots are a necessity. The young man who goes calling in the rainy season may change his footwear before entering.

There is no such thing as a "porch" to the native of Houston. What might be the same thing anywhere else is termed a "gallery."

Hot biscuit for breakfast and rice for dinner and supper and lunch are staple on every table. Diminutive paper berries go down with everything.

Sidewalks are a missing quantity. Until recently they were counted an extravagance.

All the street cars have compartments for colored passengers. A movable screen separates the sections. It is so arranged that no negro may sit in front of a white passenger.

"The Boots of Isiah."

Isiah Boehme, the "mystic shoe-maker," once wrote a pamphlet which he called "Reflections on the Treatise of Isiah Strife." One of Boehme's biographers had never heard of that theologian. But he knew enough to form to write that "mystic" meant "fool," and he was further misled by the fact that Boehme was a scholar as well as a philosopher. So he made a brilliant shot and spoke of the pamphlet in question as Boehme's "Reflections on the Boots of Isiah." In this guise it passed into several catalogues.

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Reward will be paid to any person who can find one atom of opium, chloral, morphine, cocaine, ether or chloroform in any form in any of Dr. Miles' Remedies.

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For this reason Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills are universally considered the best pain remedy. "I have suffered for 25 years with severe pains in my head, heart and back, and have tried everything I could get and could find no relief. I got a box of Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills. I suffered as long as 18 hours at a time with such severe pains that I feared I would lose my life. The Anti-Pain Pills gave me relief in from 20 to 30 minutes. I do not have to use Morphine any more. I wish you would publish this so that other sufferers may be relieved."

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Kentucky Fair Dates.

The following dates for Kentucky fairs have been announced: Madisonville—August 1, five days.

Danville—August 2, three days.

Horrodsburg—August 4, four days.

Fern Creek—August 15, four days.

Shepherdsville—August 15, four days.

Lawrenceburg—August 15, four days.

Vanceburg—August 16, four days.

Guthrie—August 17, three days.

Shelbyville—August 22, four days.

Springfield—August 22, four days.

Nicholasville—August 29, four days.

Bardonia—August 30, four days.

Florence—August 30, four days.

Elizabeth—Wm.—Sept. 5, three days.

Ewing—Sept.

Glasgow—Sept. 6, four days.

Kentucky State Fair—September 18, six days.

Henderson—Sept. 26, six days.

Falmouth—Sept. 27, four days.

Palomoto—Oct. 10, five days.

Alva Agee, in the Stockman and Farmer, says that he has the formula for a so-called soil vitalizer that is being sold in which there is 55 per cent of earth, 5 per cent of salt, and the rest plaster. There will doubtless be many who cannot afford a dollar for his home-made formula, just as we have known hundreds of the same class of men to pay \$3 each for a recipe for a compost which made them lose more than half the value of the manure used in it. Every man who bought the compost formula and used it lost enough to pay for a dozen or more year's subscription to a good paper, and could have gotten a proper formula free from his Experiment Station.

Swiss funeral customs are most peculiar. At the death of a person the family inserts a black-edged announcement in the papers asking for sympathy, and stating that "the mourning urn" will be exhibited within certain hours on a special day. In front of the house where the person died is placed a little black table, covered with black cloth, on which stands a black jar. Into this the friends and acquaintances of the family drop small black-margined visiting cards, sometimes with a few words of sympathy on them. The urn is put on the table on the day of the funeral. Only men go over to the churchyard, and they generally follow the hearse on foot.

No man should invest in a get-rich-quick scheme unless he can afford to lose the money.

Baptist Congress

Representing Five Million Communicants In All Lands.

A great conference of Baptists from every quarter of the world, representing nearly 6,000,000 communicants, was formally opened in the Metropolitan Tabernacle in London, England, on July 12. America is represented by several hundred delegates.

It is the first time that the world's Baptists have assembled as a united body. More than a century ago such a project was mooted, but the great continental wars caused the matter to be dropped.

This conference is to make no attempt at legislation, at drafting or revising creeds, or even at passing any votes. Its chief object is the unification of the Baptists of the world, the denomination of the Baptists now being composed of some fifteen sub-denominations of the sect, with as many different methods of service. The gathering will discuss the promotion of every factor tending toward individualism, the separation of the church and state, and democracy of church government.

"Stundists," this being the name of the Baptists' faith in Russia, is also certain to claim much attention. Religious liberty for this growing denomination will be sought under the precept: government of the Czar.

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"THE MIDLAND ROUTE."

LOCAL TIME TABLE IN EFFECT JUNE 6th, 1905

P. M.	DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY	A. M.	P. M.
7:00	Frankfort to Cincinnati	11:00	Frankfort to Cincinnati
7:30	Cincinnati to Frankfort	11:30	Cincinnati to Frankfort
8:00	Frankfort to Cincinnati	12:00	Frankfort to Cincinnati
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1:00	Frankfort to Cincinnati	5:00	Frankfort to Cincinnati
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3:00	Frankfort to Cincinnati	7:00	Frankfort to Cincinnati
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C. & O. Time Table.

EAST BOUND

No. 26—Shiloh Accommodation	7:10 a. m.
No. 27—New York Express	12:30 p. m.
No. 28—Mt. Sterling Accommodation	1:00 p. m.
No. 29—New York Express	4:00 p. m.

No. 26—Shiloh Accommodation	7:10 a. m.
No. 27—New York Express	12:30 p. m.
No. 28—Mt. Sterling Accommodation	1:00 p. m.
No. 29—New York Express	4:00 p. m.

K. & S. A. Railroad.

12:15 a. m. Mt. Sterling at	7:10 a. m.
12:30 a. m. Mt. Sterling at	7:30 a. m.
1:00 a. m. Mt. Sterling at	8:00 a. m.
1:30 a. m. Mt. Sterling at	8:30 a. m.

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